

TRAVANCORE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

SECOND COUNCIL.

SECOND SESSION, 1102.

(OFFICIAL REPORT.)

Wednesday, the 10th August, 1927/25th Karkatakam, 1102.

The Council assembled at Eleven thirty-three of the Clock, M. E. Watts, Esquire, B. A., Barrister-at-law, Dewan, presiding. All except the following members were present:—Mr. K. C. Mammen Mappillai and Mr. Kallur Narayana Pillai.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Hostels.

129. **MR. G. RAMAN MENON** (*Mavelikara cum Kartikapalli*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the following particulars in regard to the students who on the 1st Dhanu 1102 resided in hostels conducted or aided by the Government:—

(a) the number of students belonging to the following classes living in hostels, viz., Malayala Brahmins, other Brahmins, Christians, Mahomedans, Nayars, other non-Brahmin caste-Hindus, Ezhavas, other *Avarna* Hindus, and others unspecified; and

(b) the percentage for each of the above classes of students residing in hostels, calculated on the total number of students belonging to each class in the institutions served by the hostels concerned?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (a) and (b) The statement * asked for by the member is laid on the table. The figures in the statement relate to colleges, other than the Law College, and the hostels serving them.

Overtime Allowance in the Government Press.

130. **MR. K. P. NILAKANTA PILLAI** (*Chirayinkil*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether the employees of the Government Press were, prior to the recommendations of the Salaries Committee, paid overtime allowance in proportion to their pay;

(b) whether this system was revised, and, if so, on what ground it was so revised and what is the principle on which the present allowance is fixed;

* *Vide* Appendix I—page 6 1.

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Appendix I.

Vide Answer to Question No. 128.

Statement showing (a) the No. of students in Colleges* other than the Law College belonging to different communities, residing in hostels (Government and aided) on the 1st Dhannu 1102 and (b) the percentage for each of the above classes of students calculated on the total number of students belonging to each community, in colleges other than the Law College served by the hostels concerned.

Serial No.	Communities.	Total number of students in the Colleges served by the hostels.	Total number of College students residing in the several hostels.	Percentage.
1	Malayala Brahmins	24	4	16.7
2	Other Brahmins	381	48	12.6
3	Christians	1,030	494	48.0
4	Mahomedans	35	8	22.9
5	Nayars	832	128	15.4
6	Other non-Brahmin caste-Hindus	176	17	9.7
7	Ezhavas	150	11	7.3
8	Other Avarna Hindus	8	Nil.	Nil.
9	Others unspecified	2	Nil.	Nil.
	Total	2,638	710	26.9

* There are no hostels for school pupils aided as such, but some of the aided hostels have school pupils in them. In Government hostels on receipt of a block grant, there are 5 such pupils excluding those in the hostels attached to the Special Schools at Mavelikara and Kunnattur. In the other hostels, the grant is based on the number of college students.